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APPLICANTS: M. Humayun, et al.  
U.S.S.N.: 09/754,094 ART UNIT: 3763  
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FOR: DEVICE AND METHOD FOR MANUAL RETINAL VEIN  
CATHERIZATION

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**AMENDMENT**

Applicants file herewith a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). Please amend the application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.